

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L SOFIA 0127

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: TAGS: EFIS, BU, US

SUBJECT: SEIZURE OF BULGARIAN FISHING VESSEL

REF: SOFIA 0126, 0114 AND PREVIOUS

ROME FOR USDEL TO ICNAF

1. I HAVE BEEN SUMMONED TO MEETING WITH AVRAMOV, HEAD AMERICAS DEPARTMENT, MFA, AT NOON LOCAL TIME, JANUARY 31. PRESUME MEETING WILL DEAL WITH SEIZURE BULGARIAN FISHING VESSEL.

2. WILL APPRECIATE RECEIVING UP-TO-DATE REPORT ON CASE INCLUDING PRESS COVERAGE PRIOR TO MEETING. HERALD TRIBUNE JANUARY 28 EDITION WHICH DELIVERED IN SOFIA TODAY FEATURES STORY WITH PICTURE ON FRONT PAGE.  
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## Message Attributes

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